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1. [] NSA, called in connection with Congressman Gallagher's polygraph bill, H.R. 9878 and indicated his interest in the Agency's position before he recommends a position to DOD in connection with DOD's report on the bill to Chairman Dawson, House Committee on Government Operations. I indicated we were in the process of preparing our position and that either Mr. Warner or [] would be in touch with him on the matter.

[] also indicated his interest in H.R. 8399 concerning an Administration bill to terminate cost-of-living allowances in non-foreign areas. There is opposition in the Compensation Subcommittee of the Civil Service and Post Office Committee against this bill, and [] advised me last week that there is a move in the Subcommittee to attach an amendment to the Pay Bill to reverse the Civil Service Commission's recent reduction in these allowances pending an additional cost-of-living survey. [] Contract Personnel Division, is working on an Agency position with respect to the recent reductions; and we will request the Director of Personnel to review the impact of H.R. 8399 in order to develop an Agency action on the bill.

2. [] Mr. Frank Sherlock, Legislative Reference Service, Department of Defense, called in connection with Senator Eastland's defector bill, S. 2131. Mr. Sherlock is holding up DOD's written report and is looking to the Agency for advice. I informed Mr. Sherlock that we had met with the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee Counsel, Mr. J. Sourwine, and that Mr. Sourwine had indicated that it would be most acceptable if the Agency reported on the bill for the entire intelligence community. I told Mr. Sherlock the various courses of action available to the Agency were now being considered and that as soon as a determination is made, we would be back in touch with him.

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